

## Message Text

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DRAFTED BY S/NM/TSD:PKATZ:JO  
APPROVED BY S/NM:JHLINNE MANN  
S/NM:PWOODRING (DRAFT)  
NEA/EGY:KHONAN (SUBS)  
-----129809 081722Z /50

R 081339Z AUG 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SNAR

SUBJECT: NARCOTICS EQUIPMENT FUNDING TO EGYPT

REF: (A) CAIRO 17645 (B) CAIRO 15626

1. RIGHT HAND DRIVE NOT AVAILABLE FOR CHEVROLET BLAZERS  
MADE U.S. ONLY VEHICLE MADE U.S. WHICH MEETS EMBASSY  
VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS IS AMC CJ/7 JEEP. S/NM CONSIDERING  
EMBASSY REQUEST, PARA 2 REF A, TO PURCHASE VEHICLES LOCALLY  
AND WILL ADVISE.

2. WE ARE CONFUSED BY APPARENT CHANGE IN OPERATIONAL  
CONCEPT ADVANCED PARA 3 REF B, AND CONCERNED THAT  
EQUIPMENT COULD BE USED FOR PURPOSES OTHER THAN NARCOTICS.

3. WE DO NOT CONCUR WITH REQUEST TO PROVIDE EQUIPMENT  
ON LARGE NUMBERS OF POLICE CHANNELS OR ON ANGA REPEATER  
AND/OR HALF DUPLEX FREQUENCY AND QUESTION THE NEED FOR  
THIS. USE OF ANGA HALF DUPLEX FREQUENCIES WOULD  
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PROHIBIT PORTABLE TO PORTABLE OR MOBILE TO MOBILE  
COMMUNICATIONS WITHOUT A REPEATER.

4. EQUIPMENT NOT AVAILABLE THAT WOULD SATISFY LARGE  
FREQUENCY SPACING REQUESTED PARA 3 REF A. OPERATIONAL

FREQUENCIES CITED NOT USED U.S. CONSEQUENTLY CHOICE

OF EQUIPMENT POWER OUTPUT AND CHANNEL CAPACITY LIMITED.  
PROPOSE PROVIDE G.E. 2 CHANNEL EQUIPMENT CRYSTALLED  
TO 2 SIMPLEX FREQUENCIES 79.225 AND 79.175 MHZ.  
PORTABLES HAVE 2 WATTS RF OUTPUT.

5. A MORE FLEXIBLE AND SECURE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM  
COULD BE DEVELOPED IF ANGA WOULD OBTAIN A FEW  
FREQUENCIES IN THE UHF RANGE OF 406 - 512 MHZ.

6. PROPOSE PROVIDE BUSHNELL 7X50 BINOCULARS, 375 FOOT  
FIELD AT 1000 YARDS. CHRISTOPHER

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